The Lehi City Ledger

December 2008



MAYOR'S CORNER

This is such a wonderful time of year. Everyone is enjoying the exciting holiday spirit and spending time with family and loved ones. I especially appreciate all the many acts of service preformed this time of year by our residents. We are so blessed to live in a community where neighbors are serving and helping each other. It's what makes Lehi so great!

Along with this joyous holiday season, also comes the blistering winter storms and cold weather. Some winter storms come with little warning and can hit hard and fierce, such as we experienced last February. In light of last year's emergency snow storm, I would like to point out a few car survival necessities when traveling during these winter months. (for more tips, go to www.bereadyutah.gov)

- -maintain a minimum of ½ tank of gas
- -tools needed to change a flat tire
- -jumper cables
- -road emergency flares
- -blankets
- -food/power bars and water (rotate water every six months)
- -collapsible shovel
- -boots/goulashes
- -coats
- -flashlights with extra batteries- light sticks
- -First aid kit
- -fire extinguisher
- -personal sanitation items (tissues, towelletes)
- -ice scraper

My hope is that Lehi City can be better prepared when facing this year's winter.

Also, our City crews work very hard to ensure that the roads are cleared of snow as quickly as possible. During a heavy snow storm, it's impossible to get every street cleared at the same time, but the city wants to respond quickly to citizen needs, so to be more efficient, the Streets and Public Works Departments have outlined a map detailing priority roads and the order in which each road will be plowed. I'm asking that citizens be patient and understanding when waiting for the streets to be cleared, and know that the Street Department is working as quickly as possible. Please visit the website to view the snow plow plan at www.lehi-ut.gov, or you can pick up a map at Lehi City Hall, 153 N. 100 E., or at the Public Works Department, 560 West, Glen Carter Drive. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

I want to wish everyone a very safe and wonderful Christmas season and a great new year to come!

Mayor Howard H. Johnson 153 N 100 E, Lehi, 84043 801-768-7100 ext. 1 hjohnson@lehi-ut.gov The drive through utility payment window at City Hall will not be available until approximately January 2, 2009 due to construction. Also, the Main entrance to City Hall will be closed. Please use the access door on the East side of the building for all inquiries. We apologize for the inconvenience.

LEHI RIPPY LITERACY CENTER

Through the generosity of a local jeweler (who is retiring) we have received a donation of jewelry to be used for a fundraiser at the Literacy Center. We are making this available to the general public for possible Christmas gifts by accepting donations. The jewelry is on display at the Literacy Center during regular hours. Please stop in and shop!

The Lehi-Rippy Literacy Center 5th Annual Green Eggs and Ham Fundraiser



Monday, January 19, 2009 8:00 – 11:00 a.m. Breakfast 8:30-10:00 entertainment and activities 10:00 Puppeteer Extraordinaire At the Legacy Center 200 North Center, Lehi

MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!!!

\$25 for a family of 6, \$5 for an individual, or \$1 per year for children under 4 years

Come eat the Greenest Eggs you'll ever see-- The pancakes, hash-browns and drinks are normal but **Yikes**, those eggs are Green! Food will be served in the Senior Citizen Center. The South Gym will be filled with: balloon hats, amazing animals and beautiful balloon hats, bountiful books at the *Book Walk*, funky face painting, beginning reader books for sale, terrific talent and exciting entertainment.

If you have any questions, would like to make a donation or volunteer, call us at 407-1025 or drop by the Literacy Center at 120 North Center, Lehi

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Contact Linda Turner at 768-1102 for volunteer opportunities or if you know of a family in need.



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HOLIDAY FOOD DRIVE

Community Action Services and Food Bank, the local food bank for Utah, Summit and Wasatch Counties, would like to thank the community for its support. We encourage everyone to continue giving generously to those in need this holiday season by taking food to any drop-off point or by participating in local food drives. The items you donate during the Holiday Food Drive will help us adequately meet the increased need for food assistance in our community. For the month of December, we are making a special request for donations of hams and turkeys so we can provide holiday meals to those we serve. Along with food, CASFB also accepts cash donations.

Donations can be taken to any Jiffy Lube or Smith's location, as well as the Community Action Food Bank located at 815 S. Freedom Blvd. in Provo or its affiliated food pantries. Go online to www.communityactionuc.org, or call us at (801)-373-8200, to find a location close to your home. All donations go directly to helping people in this community.

A CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE 2009

"Long and Lasting Love"- Sponsored by Lehi Community Council and the State of Utah Marriage Initiative.

Date: February 13, 2009

Time: 6-10 p.m. (doors will open at 5:30 p.m.) Where: The Barn at Thanksgiving Point

Cost: \$27.50 per person/\$55 per couple if registered before February 1; registrations received on or later than February 1, will be charged \$32.50 per person/\$65 per couple.

New for 2009: Reserve a table of 8 for preferred seating. Call 768-2596 for details.

Event Schedule:

- 6 p.m. Dinner and entertainment
- 6:30 Welcome
- 6:40 Dr. John and Jane Covey "The 8 Habits of Successful Couples"
- 7:30 Dessert and entertainment
- 8:00 Ron McMillan, "Crucial Conversations" in Marriage
- 8:50 Break period and entertainment
- 9:10 Dr. John Lund, Marriage Therapist/Author/Professional Speaker
- 10:00 Conference concludes

Enjoy a night out with us and plan for a "Long and Lasting Love"

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Heart 2 Home http://www.heart2home.org/ It is our goal to incorporate products, services and volunteers in any way possible! If you have a product or service that you would like to donate to our project, or would like to volunteer, please call or email the following individuals! Greg Adamson: 801-722-5202 grega@prudentialutah.com or Tiffany Berg: 801-380-0543 Tiffany@TiffanyBerg.com

Hutching's Museum has some projects that would work well for Eagle Scout projects. Contact the Museum 768-7180

Lehi Family Week Committee will meet the 4th Thursday of every month. Contact Connie Packer at 766-4029.

The Lehi Community Council is looking for volunteers for the following committees...

- *Lehi Easter & Christmas Community Events
- *Marriage Conference

Contact Rick and Linda Turner 768-1102 for more info.

Meals on Wheels Contact: Liz Merrell at 229-3821 or emerrell@mountainland.org or Erin Dyreng at 229-3803 or edyreng@mountainland.org

Teddy Bear Collection for the Primary Children's Hospital

We are collecting Teddy Bears for the children that can't be home for the Holidays. Teddy Bears need to be brand new as to not spread sickness, and small (beanie baby size) as to be safe for the NICU.

Would you please help us with our efforts? Listed here are the locations for our collection drop boxes.

- 296 S 2035 W, Lehi
- Smith's Grocery, Am. Fork
- Snow Springs Elem., Lehi
- · Fox Hollow Elementary, Lehi
- Central Bank (Main Street., Lehi)
- · Kohler's, Highland
- Smith's Grocery, S. Springs
- Hollywood Video, S. Springs
- Lehi Legacy Center
- Willow Creek M. School, Lehi (office next to Toys For Tots box)

We are adding more boxes everyday. If you would like an updated list of drop box locations, would like to have one placed in your store, or want more information regarding our efforts, please contact Hope McCumber at 801-427-7304

Subscribe to the free **Community Council Newsletter.**

The newsletter is sent to your e-mail account each month and contains community information such as service opportunities, community events and other useful information.

To subscribe, send an email to cindyleemuir@gmail.com, requesting the Newsletter.

LEHI POLICE DEPARTMENT

Please register now for the Winter/Spring Merit Badge classes sponsored by the Lehi Police Department. Classes fill up fast, so call 766-5800 to reserve your spot.

Merit Badge Classes Offered:

February 25, Fingerprinting 7 p.m. March 18, Citizenship Community 7 p.m. April 8, Crime Prevention 7 p.m. The Lehi Police Department will also be sponsoring R.A.D. Systems. The National Standard in Self Defense Education ™ The Rape Aggression Defense System is a program of realistic self-defense tactics and techniques for women. The R.A.D. System is a comprehensive, women only course that begins with awareness, prevention, risk reduction and risk avoidance, while progressing on to the basics of hands on defense training. R.A.D. is not a Martial Arts program. The course is taught by nationally certified R.A.D. instructors and provides each student with a workbook/reference manual. This manual outlines the entire physical defense program for reference and continuous personal growth. New classes begin in January. Enroll now at the Legacy Center 768-7124.

LEHI AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Please join us in welcoming our new Chamber Board at the awards luncheon at Mellor's Hidden Meadows on January 5, from 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m. Local businesses will be recognized for their participation in the community and chamber. Please help us celebrate their success. R.S.V.P. to Diane at diane@directcom.com and pay \$15 online prior to the event at lehiareachamber.org, or \$20 walk in.

January 17, is the Wellness Fair at the Lehi Legacy Center, from 10 a.m.- 1 p.m. Come and support our local Health Based Businesses!

The Lehi Area Chamber is hosting a FREE two part Ready Your Business class brought to you by Be Ready Utah. The program is a 12 point business readiness series that will take place on January 13, and 14, at Fox Hollow Golf Course, from 8 - 9:30 a.m. You don't have to be a business owner to attend; share this information with your boss and co-workers!! "Every Business should have a plan... it just makes good business sense!" We are offering 30 seats for this class so sign up early. Send an e-mail to rosek@lehiareachamber.org or call (801) 836-0836 to reserve your seat.

The <u>Ready Your Business</u> tip of the month for December is: Create a planning team / Continuity of Authority. Creating a chain of command with continuity of Authority maintains leadership during any type of operational interruption. For more information about this and other tips, visit <u>www.bereadyutah.gov.</u>

LEHI ARTS COUNCIL

Amateur photographers of all ages are invited to enter the upcoming *Naturally Lehi* photo contest. The contest, to be held in January 2009, is seeking remarkable, original photographs of nature taken within the boundaries of Lehi. The contest showcases the talents of amateur photographers as well as the natural beauty of our community. Photographs may show natural landscapes, wild animals or insects in natural settings, plant life, and other natural scenes. Images of people, pets, and domestic animals will not be accepted. Each person may submit up to two photographs. \$300 in cash prizes will be awarded in the 19+ age group, and \$150 in cash prizes will be awarded in the 18 and under group. There is no entry fee for the 18 and under age group, and a \$15 entry fee for the 19+ age group, which covers up to two photographs. Photographs must be hand-delivered on Wednesday, January 7, between 5-8 p.m. at the Lehi Arts

Center. All submissions that meet the contest guidelines will be displayed at the Lehi Arts Center from January 10- January 17. Contest guidelines and entry forms are available at the Lehi Arts Center (685 N. Center St.) or online at www.lehicityarts.org. For more information, please contact Linnie Brown at 766-2234 or lb@linniebrown.com; or Kristin Tenney at kmptenney@gmail.com or 801-766-5162.

Winter workshops will begin on January 26, and include children's musical theater, and other classes such as arts and crafts, sculpture, puppetry, mom & tot music and movement, and much more. Watch the website www.lehicityarts.org for registration and more information.

SENIOR CENTER

The Senior Citizen's Center is located in the Legacy Center at 123 North Center Street. In **December, the Senior Center hours are Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m.**The Senior Center will be closed on Thursday, December 25th and Friday, December 26th for Christmas. Lunches are served daily, Monday through Friday at noon. Reservations for lunch need to be called into the Senior Center at 768-7165 by noon the previous day. Mountainland Association of Governments and the State of Utah provide the food daily. The suggested donation for meals is \$2.

Bingo is played each Tuesday and Friday at 11:30 a.m.

A free blood pressure clinic is held on the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of every month from 10:30 a.m. to noon (no appointment is needed).

Brent Fox, audiologist, is at the Center each month for hearing testing (no appointment is needed). Call the Center to inquire about his schedule at 768-7165.

Seniors can walk on the Legacy Center's indoor track free of charge between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

HEAT PROGRAM NOW OPEN

Community Action Services and Food Bank is now accepting applications for the HEAT program, a program which assists lowincome households in making utility payments through the winter season. A one-time payment per year will be submitted directly to utility companies for individuals who qualify. Disbursements are based on income. All Utah County residents interested in applying must call 801-373-8200 from now until the end of April for an appointment. Low-income households and those with disabilities are especially encouraged to apply. Applicants must meet income guidelines and provide all required documentation. Homebound individuals may request an Outreach worker to come to their home to assist in the application process. Firsttime applicants in Utah County must complete an energy education class as part of the process (the energy class is waived for disabled or elderly applicants). Please go to www.CommunityActionUC.org for more information or call 801-373-8200.

Any questions regarding this newsletter can be directed to Teisha Wilson at 768-7100 ext. 1

Certificates

Available

LEHI LEGACY CENTER

Facility Membership Fees Gift Certificates

Now Available

Do you need the perfect present for someone this holiday season?

Do you want to stay active this winter? Then come to the Legacy Center & sign up or purchase a Gift Certificate for someone special!

You can become a Legacy Center member for as little as \$22 a month.

Membership Benefits:

- *3 full-size gyms
- *Aquatics Center *Locker Rooms
- *Cardio Room *Weight Room
- *Aerobic Classes
- *Walking & Jogging Track
- *Free Cycling & Tread Classes *10% Off youth sports programs *Special Member only hours

Itty Bitty Basketball

PROGRAMS

3 & 4 year olds

***Register NOW!!! (Space Limited) Includes 6 one hour long classes of fun! Session I (Mon/Wed/Fri) Session II (Tue/Thur) 9:30-10:30am OR 10:45am-11:45am Includes 6 classes, treats & t-shirt.

LEGACY DANCE

Register NOW!!!

Ballet, Jazz, Modern, and Hip Hop classes offered at the Legacy Center. 768-7124

LEGACY CHEER

Register NOW!!!

The Legacy Center is now offering a cheer program for girls 3yrs thru High School.

NEW PROGRAMS STARTING

Martial Arts (Tae Kwon Do) **Hunter Safety** Parenting w/ Love & Logic Sign Language Scrapbooking/Scrapbooking Sleepover **Babysitters Course**

Legacy Pre-School

M/W/F from 9:30-11:30am (advanced) **OR** 1-3pm.

Fee: \$90 monthly OR \$79 monthly for Resident Discount. T/TH from 9:30-11:30am OR 1-3pm. Fee: \$72 monthly OR \$63 monthly for Resident Discount. (all classes have a one time material fee \$25)

DROP & SHOP **SATURDAY** December 20th

Drop your kids off at the Legacy Center so you can get your last minute shopping done!

Crafts, games, movies and more!

Dec. 20 (9am-12:30pm) \$12 (\$10 Lehi Resident Discount) Age: 3 years and Up (must be potty trained) Space limited! Participants must Pre-register!

Health & Fitness Fair/Blood Drive Saturday January 17, 2009

10am to 1pm WIN A PASS!!!

Come to the yearly HEALTH & FITNESS FAIR.

- Free health screening
- Free blood pressure checks
- Free massages
- Face painting, balloons and prizes.
- Many fitness and wellness items to purchase.
- Cholesterol testing from 9am to 11am. (Fee)
- 20 % Off Annual Membership Sale! (just during fair hours only)

Items are available to purchase

For Booth Information call Tina Strong @ 768-7124 or tstrong@ lehi-ut.gov

NEW THIS YEAR Frigid 5K Run/Walk

www.lehi-ut.gov for details

R.A.D. WOMEN

Women's Self Defense Class Classes start in February Feb. 9, 11, 13, 16, 18 & 20. Great class for women ages 13yrs and older.



Ski & Snowboard School Great gift for Christmas!

Ages 10 yrs and up are welcome to join. Days: Saturdays starting in January Fee: \$285 includes

- *4 days of lift tickets
- *4 days of 2 ½ hour lessons
- *Transportation to and from Solitude
- *Fun with friends!!!

Space limited!!!

POOL INFORMATION

LEISURE POOL AND 1/2 OF LAP POOL ARE AVAILABLE FOR PRIVATE **RENTALS YEAR-ROUND**

MON-FRI 9-10:50 PM SATURDAY 8-9:50 PM COST \$275

For reservations call 768-7124 Ext. 2316

Special Programs:

Large group swim lesson programs, special group rental rates and water aerobics geared especially for school groups are available from 9am.-2pm., Monday-Fri. Adaptive Aquatics programs are also available by request. To make your reservations call 768-7124 Ext. 2316.

The Legacy Center, including the Aquatics Center, will close at 6:00 pm on Dec. 11 and at noon on Dec. 24. The entire facility will also be closed on Dec. 25, Christmas Day.

SPORTS BEAT

Men's Basketball 2009

League begins in Jan. (Friday nights) Ages 18 yrs & Up (Teams only) Deadline is December 30, 2008

INDOOR SOCCER

Grades K-6th grade, teams will be co-ed Registration starts December 9th with a deadline of February 3rd Games run in March and April SAGE required

Men's Spring Basketball

League begins in March (Monday nights) Ages 18 yrs & Up (Teams only) Deadline is February 3, 2009